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C O N F I D E N T I A L PARIS 02022

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OTRA, PORG, ILO, FR

SUBJECT: MISSION OF SPECIAL ENVOY ON ILO AFFAIRS

REF: STATE 013644

1. GABRIEL VENTEJOL, GOF DELEGATE TO THE ILO,  
WARMLY PRAISED THE IDEA OF AMBASSADOR SILBERMAN'S  
SPECIAL MISSION WHICH HE THOUGHT WOULD BE PARTICULARLY  
USEFUL SINCE IT IS AIMED AT FOREIGN MINISTER LEVEL.  
HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT THE SPECIAL ENVOY SHOULD  
NOT LIMIT HIMSELF TO CONVEYING IMPORTANCE US  
ATTACHES TO ILO AFFAIRS BUT SHOULD BE ABLE TO GIVE  
SOME INDICATION OF US IDEAS ON WHAT NEEDS TO BE  
DONE IN CONNECTION WITH ILO.

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2. VENTEJOL TOOK THE OPPORTUNITY TO EMPHASIZE THAT HE SHARES USG MISGIVINGS WITH RECENT TRENDS IN ILO AND IS PREPARED TO DO HIS PART TO SUPPORT US EFFORT TO CORRECT THINGS. HE REMARKED THAT IN ADDITION TO THE POLITIZATION OF ILO OPERATIONS HE FEELS THAT DEVELOPMENTS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD AND IN THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM TEND TO REDUCE THE WEIGHT AND INFLUENCE OF THE WESTERN INDUSTRIAL COUNTRIES AND THIS IS CREATING A DISEQUILIBRIUM WHICH MUST BE RECKONED WITH.

3. VENTEJOL WOULD LIKE VERY MUCH TO MEET WITH AMBASSADOR SILBERMAN. ACCORDINGLY, UNLESS DEPARTMENT OBJECTS WE PLAN TO INCLUDE HIM IN THE PROGRAM OF THE VISIT.

4. WE WOULD CAUTION IN THIS CONNECTION THAT SAUVAGNARGUES PREFERS LATE AFTERNOON AND EVENING FOR APPOINTMENTS. THEREFORE TRAVEL TO LONDON SHOULD BE PLANNED FOR MORNING OF 28TH.

5. IT IS OUR UNDERSTANDING THAT IRVING BROWN WILL NOT BE BACK IN PARIS FROM HIS VISIT TO BONN ON THE 27TH. WE WOULD SUGGEST THEREFORE THAT SPECIAL ENVOY TALK WITH HIM IN BONN ABOUT FRANCE AS WELL.  
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